IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS EASTERN DIVISION

NIRVETA KUSURAN,	
Plaintiff,	
v.)	Case No. 08-C-794
	Judge Moran
SIX CONTINENTS HOTELS, INC., d/b/a INTERCONTINENTAL HOTELS GROUP,	Magistrate Judge Nolan
Defendants.	

AGREED MOTION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME TO ANSWER OR OTHERWISE PLEAD

Defendant, Six Continents Hotels, Inc. by their attorneys, Morgan, Lewis & Bockius, moves for an extension of time to answer or otherwise plead. In support of the Motion, Defendant state as follows:

- 1. On February 6, 2008, Plaintiff Nirveta Kusuran ("Plaintiff"), filed a Complaint against Defendants in Northern District of Illinois, Eastern Division, Case No. 08 C 794 (the "Complaint").
- 2. Defendant retained Morgan, Lewis & Bockius, LLP on May 14, 2008, as counsel in this matter.
- 3. At the previous status hearing, counsel had indicated that it would be able to get the Answer and Appearances on file by the next status hearing, May 21, 2008.
- 3. Because they have recently been retained, counsel requires additional time to investigate the allegations contained in plaintiff's Complaint.

- 4. Accordingly, defendant requests an additional 7 days, or until May 28, 2008, to answer or otherwise plead in response to plaintiff's Complaint.
- 5. Plaintiff's counsel has been contacted and has no objection to the 7-day extension.
 - 6. This is the first extension requested by defendants.
- 7. A 7 day extension of time will not cause excessive delay in the litigation and will not unduly prejudice any party.

WHEREFORE, Defendant respectfully requests the Court grant an additional 7 days, or until May 28, 2008 to Answer or otherwise plead to Plaintiff's First Amended Complaint.

Dated: May 19, 2008 Respectfully submitted,

SIX CONTINENTS HOTELS, INC., d/b/a INTERCONTINENTAL HOTELS GROUP,

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